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BROADCASTS MARKING RALLIES HELD TO COMMEMORATE THE
TENTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE FOUNDING OF THE RED GUARD MOVE-
MENT ON AUGUST 18, 1966 HAVE BEEN HELD IN AT LEAST 18 OF THE
PRC'S 29 PROVINCES. ALTHOUGH ALL PROVINCES HAVE NOT BEEN HEARD
FROM ON THIS SUBJECT, IT SEEMS LIKELY THAT MOST SPONSORED SOME
FESTIVITIES FOR THE OCCASION. A RECURRENT THEME IN ALL OF
THE BROADCASTS IS THE ROLE OF THE RED GUARDS TODAY. FAR FROM
URGING THE RED GUARDS TO BRING DOWN OFFICIALS AND THE PARTY
STRUCTURE, AS WAS THE OBJECTIVE IN 1966, THE BROADCASTS URGE
YOUNG PEOPLE TO CRITICIZE THE ERRONEOUS LINES OF THE CAPITALIST
ROADERS IN THE PARTY. THE "CONCRETE DEEDS" BY WHICH THE
YOUTH CAN DEMONSTRATE THEIR REPUDIATION OF TENG'S LINE

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USUALLY INVOLVE SETTLING IN THE COUNTRYSIDE AND A COMMITMENT

TO BECOMING GOOD SOCIALIST PEASANTS.
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